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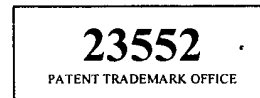
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The issued patent has the Assignee name spelled incorrectly as "Mark IV Systems Moteurs (SA)" when the correct spelling is --Mark IV Systemes Moteurs (SA)--. Enclosed are copies of the signed Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal and Corrected Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document both of which have the name of the Assignee spelled correctly. Since the name of the Assignee is spelled correctly on the Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal the error is clearly a Patent Office error and no fee is necessary.

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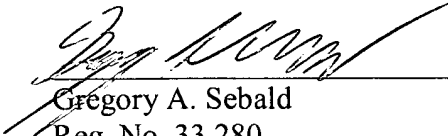
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Front Page, (73) Assignee: "Mark IV Systems Moteurs (SA)," should read --Mark IV Systemes Moteurs (SA)--

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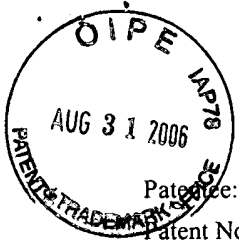
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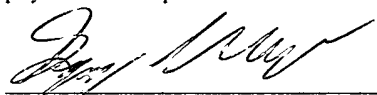
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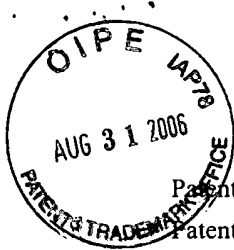
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